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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

STEPHEN M. ALLEN

CASE NO.: BB1162 US'NA

APPLICATION NO.: 09/679,687

GROUP ART UNIT: UNKNOWN

FILED: 10/05/2000

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FOR: SUCROSE TRANSPORTERS

**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-referenced application on the merits, and in response to the Office communication dated January 8, 2001, please amend the application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the originally filed Sequence Listing with the attached substitute Sequence Listing.

Please charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account 04-1928  
(E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

In view of the foregoing, allowance of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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